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## **AMENDMENT**

Assistant Commissioner of Patents Washington, D.C. 20231

May 1, 2000

## Sir:

In response to the Final Office Action dated January 31, 2000, please enter the following amendments and reconsider the pending rejections in view of the remarks, below.

## IN THE CLAIMS:

Please amend claims 4 - 5, 8 and 12 as follows:

- 4. (twice amended) The isolated DNA according to claim 1, wherein said DNA encodes a protein comprising an amino acid sequence selected from the group consisting of SEQ ID NO:5, SEQ ID NO:6, SEQ ID NO:21 [or] and SEQ ID NO:25.
- 5. (twice amended) The isolated DNA according to claim 1, wherein said DNA comprises a nucleic acid sequence selected from the group consisting of SEQ ID NO:1, SEQ ID NO:2, SEQ ID NO:20